



In re application of: James Fallon

Serial No.: 09/481,243

Group: Art Unit 2182

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For: SYSTEM AND METHODS FOR ACCELERATED DATA STORAGE AND RETRIEVAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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- [] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- [X] No additional fee is required.

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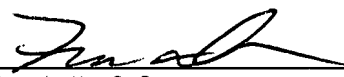
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Respectfully submitted,

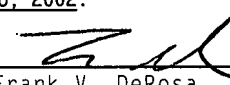
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